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COMPOSITION AND METHOD
FOR TREATING CANCER

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed February 10, 2006, a reply to which is due August 10, 2006, with a request for a three-month extension of time submitted herewith. In view of the amendments and remarks below, entry of these amendments and reconsideration are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this submission.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this submission.